



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

CHILD CARE LICENSURE INFORMATION MEMORANDUM

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **The Child Care Facilities Licensure Division is no longer printing copies of the child care regulations.** Providers and the public may now print a copy directly from the MSDH website at http://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/30,0,183,225.html. On October 8, 2014, the State Board of Health approved amendments to the *Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities* and *Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities for 12 or Fewer Children in the Operator's Home*. The amendments were filed with the Secretary of State, approved by the Mississippi State Board of Health, and are now in effect.
2. The Child Care Licensure Division would like to welcome Ms. Lauren Jelliffe in District IV. Ms. Jelliffe is our new intern from Mississippi State University. Child Care Licensure is seeking to secure partnerships with other local universities and colleges within the Early Childhood program of study. Interns earn college credit while learning and experiencing the interworking of the child care licensing program.
3. The Child Care Facilities Licensure Division bids a fond farewell to LaRonda Canada, District V.
4. The next Child Care Advisory Council Meeting is scheduled for Friday, August 28, 2015, at 1:00 p.m., in the Professional and Child Care Licensure Conference Room located at 143B Lefleurs Square, Jackson, MS 39211.
5. Mississippi's State Early Childhood Advisory Council (SECAC) is distributing a survey to all licensed child care providers to learn more about the use of standards, guidelines, and report cards across the state. SECAC is partnering with Mississippi State University's National Strategic Planning & Analysis Research Center (nSPARC) to distribute the survey via email to all providers. Please expect an email from nSPARC in the coming weeks. We encourage all providers to take time to complete the survey. SECAC will use the survey results to support the improvement of standards and guidelines throughout Mississippi.
6. The Division encourages all providers to ensure that each of their employees is trained how to discipline children by providing positive re-enforcement, instead of negative discipline because the consequences of inappropriate/negative discipline can be severe. Subchapter 14 of the *Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities* and *Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities for 12 or Fewer Children in the Operator's Home* address Discipline and Guidance. The Department encourages all operators and child care staff to review this chapter of the regulations.
7. Training sessions are offered throughout the state to assist providers in meeting the requirements of the three mandatory trainings for owners, operators, directors, and director designees. However, due to budget constraints and low class enrollment/participation, some of the sessions

may have to be cancelled. It is imperative that you pre-register for training sessions to ensure that they continue to be offered in your area.

8. The Division encourages all owner/directors to send their staff to the various training classes offered by the Division. We especially encourage you to send them to Child Care Regulations, Directors Orientation, and Playground Safety training classes. By taking these classes, your staff will be better informed and knowledgeable about the workings of a licensed child care facility. It will also help prepare them to step into a leadership role in your facility, should the occasion arise. We also recommend that staff repeat these training sessions every three (3) years because there are constant changes occurring in the child care field.
9. The Division wishes to remind all providers that contact hours must be received from an **approved** Staff Development Trainer. If questions arise regarding whether a trainer is approved by the MSDH, please consult the list of approved Staff Development Trainers in this memorandum.

CPR and First Aid certifications must also be from a **certified** instructor. The class must contain a face-to-face/hands-on component to be considered for approval.

10. If you are interested in becoming approved to offer continuing education contact hours to child care providers, the document, ***“How to Become An Approved Staff Development Trainer”*** has been placed on the MSDH website under the “Child Care Provider Training” section and then beneath “Related Resources.” For additional information, please contact Ms. Nancy Nunley, Region 1 Trainer.
11. Mississippi State University now offers the TummySafe[®] food manager’s certification course for child care providers online. Please go to www.MSUCares.com/tummySAFE for full information.

Rankin Childcare Directors Association
21ST ANNUAL ADVANCED TRAINING SEMINAR
For Early Childhood Professionals

ROCKING with the **50's**

Saturday, July 11, 2015 • 8 a.m. to 12:15 P.m.
Crossgates United Methodist Church • 23 Crossgates Drive, Brandon, MS 39042

Cost \$15.00 per person, non-refundable fee

Deadline to Register: Thursday, July 9, 2015

Contact Fannie Harper at 601-200-4101

Beverly Peden at 601-594-1985 for more information

Seminar Schedule

7:30-8 a.m.

Registration

8-8:15 a.m.

Welcome/Prayer – **RCDA President, Beverly Peden**

8:15-9:15 a.m.

Opening Keynote: **Kaye Sowell**

Rocking Around the Clock

9:15-10:30 a.m.

Breakout Session I (CHOOSE ONE)

A. Rocking with Books and Children – **Clara Martin**

B. Rocking Art with Young Children – **Laurie Estridge**

C. Rocking With Learning Centers – **Judy Prine**

D. Rocking Around the Clock with Wage & Hour (**Directors**)

E. Rocking with Good Behavior – **Marquice Knight**

10:30-11 a.m.

Share Ideas & Snack

11 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Breakout Session II (CHOOSE ONE)

A. Rocking with School Ageds – **Donna Nicholson**

B. Rocking with Healthy Habits – **Loretta Cleveland**

C. Rocking with Learning Center – **Judy Prine**

D. Rocking with Good Behavior – **Marquice Knight**

4 hours of staff training is approved by the Health Department



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Registration Form

List each person separately. Choose two different sessions (A, B, C, D). Print this page to add more names.

Center Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Director's Name: _____

Print Name	Session I	Session II

Make checks payable to RCDA.

Mail to:
Dominicare
Attn: Fannie Harper
969 Lakeland Drive
Jackson, MS 39216

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Early Childhood Opportunities

July 13-15, 2015

8:15-5:00 (Daily)

\$250.00

Scholarships available

(includes lunch and participant amenities)

Child-care development credit will be available for an additional cost.

Plan to join us for the Whole Schools Initiative
Summer Institute.

To **register** for this event, [click here](#) or contact Andrea Coleman, Whole Schools Initiative Director @ 601.359.6040 or acoleman@arts.ms.gov.



STATE REGULATIONS

The regulations require that persons who perform or offer to perform **renovation** or repair activities or lead-based paint **abatement** activities in pre-1978 **target housing** or **child occupied facilities** must be certified by MDEQ. The regulations also establish requirements and procedures to be followed when performing these activities. So ask your contractor to see their certification, or call MDEQ to verify their certification before they start work.

DEFINITIONS

- **Lead-Based Paint:** Paint that contains lead over 1.0 milligram per square centimeter (mg/cm²) or 0.5 percent by weight.
- **Target Housing:** Any housing built before 1978, except housing for the elderly or persons with disabilities (unless one or more children age six years or under resides or is expected to reside in such housing for the elderly or persons with disabilities) or any 0-bedroom dwelling.
- **Child Occupied Facility:** Any building or part of a building regularly visited by the same child, six years of age or younger, on at least two different days during the week for a total of at least six hours, and provided that combined yearly visits total at least 60 hours. Includes, but is not limited to: daycare centers, preschool and kindergarten classrooms, Head Start centers.
- **Renovation:** The modification of any existing structure, or portion thereof, that results in the disturbance of painted surfaces.
- **Abatement:** Any method used to permanently remove lead-based paint hazards.



For more information contact the
MDEQ Lead Program

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Program Manager

601-961-5630

dkelly@deq.state.ms.us

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www.HealthyMS.com

1-866-HLTHY4U

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Program Manager

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Why Do We Need Lead-Based Paint Regulations?



MDEQ strives to conserve and improve Mississippi's air, land, and water through fair and responsible regulation.



Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality

Office of Pollution Control
P.O. Box 2261
Jackson, MS 39225
www.deq.state.ms.us/leadpaint
601.961.5171
1.877.671.7139



Lead is found in:

- Paint
- Dust and soil
- Pottery/ceramic ware
- Imported/vinyl/plastic mini-blinds bought before 1997
- Tap water/brass faucets (well water is more likely to have lead)
- Imported canned foods
- Keys/key chains



What is Lead?

- Lead is a toxic metal used in a variety of products.
- Lead was used in paint in homes built before 1978.
- Lead-based paint that is chipping, cracking or dusting is dangerous to children and adults.

Why is Lead Dangerous?

- It affects the brain, central nervous system and other organs.
- Lead dust is almost invisible and very potent.
- Children are more sensitive to the effects of lead because they are developing, and have higher risk of ingesting lead because they often put their hands and other objects in their mouths.

Children should be screened with a blood test anytime lead exposure is suspected. Children living in pre-1978 housing should get their first blood test for lead between the age of 6 and 12 months. Symptoms are not obvious, and it is easier to prevent lead poisoning than to treat it.

How to Protect Your Child from Lead:

- Maintain painted surfaces to prevent chipping and peeling.
- Use only State certified contractors for renovations, repairs and/or painting jobs.
- Remove old plastic mini-blinds, especially if bought before 1997
- Clean children's hands with soap and water or wipes after they play outside, and before meals.
- Wash children's toys often, and don't store them on porches or window sills.
- Give your child a diet rich in vitamin C, calcium and iron to decrease the level of lead in the body.
- Use a wet mop, wet cloth or wet paper towel with an all-purpose cleaner to clean window sills and floors.
- Keep old windows closed.
- Window sills that have chipped paint or are not very smooth and easy to clean can be covered with contact paper or plastic.



Move to Learn is now in Pre-K!



The dynamic learning tool utilized by schools throughout Mississippi is now expanding into Pre-K. Our new Pre-K videos help kids learn to count and learn letter sounds.

Move to Learn is based on a simple idea: When kids move at school, things get better.

Coach Calhoun and Coach Clayton lead students in simple rhythmic routines to keep them active and engaged while learning. This leads to a fun and effective way to learn and a healthier body. And when better to start than in Pre-K?

With Move to Learn, Pre-K children can learn to count and learn letter sounds while being physically active.

To learn more and to see the coaches in action, visit MoveToLearnMS.org.

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FOUNDATION



**OFFICE OF
HEALTHY SCHOOLS**
MS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Promoting Social, Emotional and
Physical Wellness for Young Children

June 13th 2015
Oxford, MS

Oxford Convention Center
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
to register contact

Melissa Leach @ 662.915.2704

August 1st 2015
Hattiesburg, MS

Thad Cochran Center - USM
8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
to register contact

Katina Dancy @ 601.584.4704

FREE REGISTRATION

- MS Childcare Providers -
Teachers, Assistant Teachers,
Directors and Owners

- HeadStart -
Teachers - Asst. Teachers - Directors

- Public School -
Teachers - Administrators
Pre-K 3rd grade

- Early Childhood Educators -
Community College & University

Six contact professional
development hours will be awarded
through the Early Years Network

Attendance of all workshops
is worth .6 CEUs



It Only Takes a Moment



Anyone watching children who are in, on or around water must understand that drowning happens quickly and suddenly. Any source of water is a potential drowning hazard, especially for young children and weak swimmers.

Understand the risks.

- Drowning is the second leading cause of unintentional injury-related death for children ages 1 to 14 years.
- Drowning usually happens quickly and silently—many children who drown in home pools were out of sight for less than 5 minutes and in the care of one or both parents at the time.*
- The place where drowning is likely to occur changes with age:
 - Children under 1 year most often drown in bath tubs, buckets or toilets.
 - Children ages 1 to 4 years most often drown in home pools.
 - Older children most often drown in natural water settings.*
- Know the water hazards in your community and make sure children stay away. These hazards could include—
 - Drainage ditches.
 - Garden ponds.
 - Creeks and streams.
 - Wells and cisterns.
 - Canals.

Maintain constant supervision.

- Maintain constant supervision of children whenever around water.
- Avoid distractions when supervising children around water.
- Have children or inexperienced swimmers wear a U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jacket around water, but do not rely on life jackets alone—always maintain constant supervision!
- Block access to unguarded, non-designated swimming areas.
- Alcohol and water do not mix. Alcohol impairs judgment, balance and coordination; affects swimming and diving skills; and reduces the body's ability to stay warm.

Know how to respond to an aquatic emergency.

- If a child is missing, check the water first. Seconds count in preventing death or disability.
- Know how and when to call 9-1-1 or the local emergency number.
- Enroll in Red Cross water safety, first aid and CPR courses to learn what to do. Insist that babysitters, grandparents and others who care for children know these lifesaving skills.

**Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*

For more information or to enroll in Swimming and Water Safety courses, contact your local Red Cross chapter.



Heatstroke Prevention: It's time to take action and put an end to hot car deaths



Every 10 days, across the United States, a child dies while unattended in a hot car. It only takes a few minutes for a car to heat up and become deadly to a child inside. As summer temperatures rise, more kids are at risk.

July 31 is National Heatstroke Prevention Day. Safe Kids is working to get the message out about the dangers of heatstroke and how to prevent these tragedies from occurring. We can prevent heatstroke with your help. [Share a message about the importance of never leaving a child alone in car.](#) **Did You Know?**

- A child's body heats up three to five times faster than an adult's body.
- Heatstroke deaths have been recorded in 11 months of the year in nearly all 50 states.
- More than half of heatstroke deaths occurred when a distracted caregiver forgot a quiet child was in the vehicle.

Reduce the number of deaths from heatstroke by remembering to ACT.

A: Avoid heatstroke-related injury and death by never leaving your child alone in a car, not even for a minute. And make sure to keep your car locked when you're not in it so kids don't get in on their own.

C: Create reminders by putting something in the back of your car next to your child such as a briefcase, a purse, or a cell phone that is needed at your final destination. This is especially important if you're not following your normal routine.

T: Take action. If you see a child alone in a car, call 911. Emergency personnel want you to call. They are trained to respond to these situations. One call could save a life.

To help prevent tragic and unnecessary deaths due to heatstroke, Safe Kids Worldwide and the General Motors Foundation teamed up to launch *Never Leave Your Child Alone in a Car*, an education and awareness campaign geared toward parents and caregivers.

Safe Kids also supports NHTSA's heatstroke education campaign, *Where's Baby? Look Before You Lock*, and welcomes the increased national coordination on the issue.

MsECA Imagine Conference 2015



Imagine

fun. family. friends.

October 7th-9th, 2015

Natchez Convention Center, Natchez, MS



For more information contact 601-620-6205
or email mtenhet@humansci.msstate.edu

High Quality Child Care Director's Institute

July 20-23, 2015

*Cost: \$80.00
Registration Fee*

Monday, July 20 th	Childcare Administration
Tuesday, July 21 st	Cultural Diversity in Early Childhood Programs
Wednesday, July 22 nd	Facilitating Staff Skill Development
Thursday, July 23 rd	Managing Health and Safety in Childcare

*Participants can earn 28 Contact Hours and 2.8 CEU's
(CEUs will be an additional cost)*

Time:

Monday-Friday
8:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

Location:

Universities Center
School of Lifelong Learning
3825 Ridgewood Rd.
Jackson, MS 39211

*For more information, please call 601-432-6234 or 601-432-6109
You may register at www.services.smec-jsu.org*

Jackson State University
School of Lifelong Learning
3825 Ridgewood Rd, Box 23
Jackson, MS 39211
Phone: (601) 432-6234
Toll Free: 1-800-264-6234
Fax: (601) 432-6124



WORKSHOPS, INSTITUTES, AND SEMINARS APPLICATION FORM (CEUs, Contact Hours, and Certificates)

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete and fax the application form to: Fax number -(601) 432-6124 or mail the form to:
3825 Ridgewood Road, Box 23, Jackson, MS 39211.

Date of Application _____ E-mail _____

Full Name _____ Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female
Last First Middle

Present Address _____
Street or Box City County State Zip Code

Date of Birth -- Mo. _____ Day _____ Yr. _____ Social Security No. _____ - _____ - _____

Telephone No. Home (_____) _____ Work (_____) _____ Fax (_____) _____

MS Resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Assignment: (Please check one)

☐ Classroom Teacher/Grade _____
☐ Administrator
☐ University Staff
☐ Childcare Staff
☐ Other

Agency _____
(Name of Agency)
Other _____
(Please specify)

Have you ever attended Jackson State University? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, last date of attendance? _____

If yes, name of program attended _____

Race-- () African American () Asian () Spanish American
() American Indian () Caucasian () Other (Specify) _____

Have you previously earned Continuing Education Units at Jackson State University? ☐ Yes ☐ No

WORKSHOP/SEMINAR INFORMATION

SEMINAR/WORKSHOP TITLE	TIME	DATE(S)	CEUs, SEMI Credits, or Contact Hours

METHOD OF PAYMENT

☐ Money Order

☐ Check

☐ Purchase Order

Form III CL

Care for Their Air: Smoke-Free Home Pledge Event

Care for Their Air is a program for MS child care centers to educate parents & caregivers about the health risks to children from secondhand smoke exposure & encourage them to commit to providing a smoke-free environment in their homes & cars.

Program materials are available at no cost to child care centers interested in implementing the activities. Child care centers can receive incentives for their participation!

For more information, please contact:
Mississippi State Department of Health
Office of Tobacco Control
805 S. Wheatley St., Suite 400
Ridgeland, MS 39157
601-991-6050 or 1-866-724-6115

OR

The Mississippi Tobacco-Free Coalition (MTFC) Director
serving your county (www.tobaccofreems.org)

Request Form

Ready to plan your **Care for Their Air** event? Please complete this form & submit it to the MSDH Office of Tobacco Control at the address listed above.

Name of Organization: _____

Name of Event Coordinator: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

County: _____ E-mail Address: _____



MSDH Approved Staff Development Trainers

As of May 22, 2015

Name	Courses	Telephone #
Rachell Vicknair	Various	225-567-6981 or 504-909-9790
Dorothy Lewis	Various	601-736-4915 Or 601-441-8100
Dr. Buddy Fish	Various	601-573-6771
Annie Ward Lowery	Various	601-697-2774 or 601-507-2315
Win Maxey-Shumate	Various	601-481-1376 or 601-527-9495
Phyllis Kitchens	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Singing as a Teaching Tool 2. Could you Repeat That? 3. Transitioning Children into a New Surrounding/Environment 4. Emergency Safety Training 5. Classroom Arrangement for Preschool 6. Self-Esteem, Movement and Learning 7. The Three Basic Learning Styles 8. Classroom Management 	662-282-7668 662-282-4721 or 662-231-8009
Dr. Carrie Ford	Various	601-446-7404 or 601-660-4328
Beverly Peden	Various	601-825-9153 or 601-594-1985
Annie Y. Griffin	Various	662-812-7184
Dr. Alan M. Gross	Various	662-607-0300
Linda Glaze	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Caught in the Love...Understanding Early Childhood 2. Use Your Words 3. Environmental Rating Scales Overview 4. Any training provided to directors involved in the Lafayette Co. Excel by Five Project 	662-259-2967 or 662-255-5795
Dr. Deborah Minor	Various	662-417-1487
Cassandra Townes	Various	662-299-2361
LaTasha Brown	Various	601-597-8055
Dr. Grace Prowell	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Effective Classroom Transition Activities for the Preschool Teacher: 2. Positive Discipline (Techniques) 3. Various 	601-259-2267 or 601-877-3858
Dr. Shakira Cain	Various	601-454-5376 or 601-825-5414
Josenda Wright Dockery	Various Improving Your Time Management System Training Great People to be Great Leaders	662-298-6887 or 662-429-2460
Wilhelmenia Newson	Various	662-902-7673
Eileen Beazley	Various	601-918-3672
Artricia S. Polk	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Motivated to Succeed 2. Protecting Our Children: Abuse & Detection Training 3. Saving Infants During Sleep (SIDS) 4. Promoting Mental Health in Child Development 5. The Benefits of Arts & Music in Child Development 6. In Case of an Emergency, Danger or Disaster 	901-921-3983 or 901-543-6372
Tasha Bailey	Various	662-379-5541
Tonya J. Barton	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Learning Fun for Infants & Toddlers 2. More than Routines 3. Learning Centers ...How Children Learn Best 4. Guidance and Discipline with Young Children 5. Developmental Appropriate Practices with Infants, Toddlers & Preschoolers 6. Language & Literacy for Young Children 7. Social Emotional Development for Infants & Toddlers 8. Physical Development for Infants & Toddlers 9. Math Madness for Young Children 	601-201-7976
Terre B. Harris	Various	601-573-1572 or 601-956-8417
Dr. Kimberly R. Smith-	Various	601-918-5605

Russ		
Darlene Cunningham	"Darkness to Light/Stewards of Children"	662-420-0464
Dr. Doris J. Thompson	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Literacy Based Learning 2. Time Management 3. Responsive Care Giving 4. Connecting Circle Time 	662-390-3440
Halle Ricketts	"Relationships and Reflective Supervision in the EHS Context"	662-688-7060 or 662-561-5334
Dr. LaShundia Carson	Various	601-857-7500 or 601-672-0939
Barbara A. Templet	Various related to health, safety, physical education, nutrition & food safety, special needs, and emergency preparedness	225-715-0929
Ashley S. Sory	"Handwriting Readiness for Young Children"	601-940-7672
Dr. Doris Gary	Various	601-966-7731 or 601-824-3732
Shawanda Collins, DBA: Motivated 4 You	Various	601-717-0977
Monica Palm	Various	601-982-3836
Rosemary L. Wilson	"Developmentally Appropriate READY TO TEACH Lessons for Preschool Children Aligned with Common Core Standards"	601-927-0326
Alice J. Leach	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Behavior Management in the Preschool Classroom 2. Recycling for the Budget in the Preschool Classroom 3. Art on a Budget 	601-918-2224 or 601-212-5929
Laurie McCarty	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fabulously Fun Food & Fitness 2. Unwrapping Food Allergies 	601-580-0266 or 601-268-9342
Pam Mottley	Brain Based Guidance	601-466-7286
Sonja Allen	Various trainings regarding school-agers	601-376-8969 or 601-607-3454
Jill R. Morris	Various trainings regarding fitness and physical activity	901-848-6422 or 662-349-6422
Dorothy Glenn Nichols	Various	662-299-6944 or 662-453-7808
Louella Mack-Webster	Perceptions in Early Childhood Education Today	601-622-6149
Tabatha F. Kenney	"Bullying"	601-946-4632 or 601-605-4295
Karyn Jankowski	"The Early Years: An Early Childhood Development Series for Child Care Providers"	662-816-3087
Margaret C. S. Ellis	Various topics related to Early Child Development, Foods & Nutrition, and Business	662-902-9038 or 662-902-9036
Sharon J. Burks	"Resources for Children with Disabilities"	901-289-6752 or 662-890-6004
Linda Dorsey	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Helping Children Deal With Grief 2. Effective Classroom Management Strategies With Young Children 	662-719-1581
Cynthia Minton Walker	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understanding the Mind of a Child 2. These Children Won't Listen to Me! 3. The Importance of Using Music and Movement 	228-224-5715
Cathy W. Grace	Various topics related to Early Childhood Education	662-312-1395
Andrea M. Moore	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Speech-Language General Overview 2. The Language Behind Autism 3. Speech & Language Development 	901-239-6058 or 901-373-9768
Lee Avant	"Dragging Stress into the Workplace"	662-829-9688
Megan Hill	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Transitioning to Kindergarten 2. Building Confidence in Pre-K Teachers 3. Building Pre-K Lesson Plans, 1 & 2 4. Integrating the Arts into Pre-K Lesson Plans 5. Are Your Preschoolers Socially and Emotionally Ready for Kindergarten? 	228-669-7161
Cathey R. Curtis	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Classroom Management for Preschoolers 2. Fighting Germs for Preschoolers 	662-310-8898
Alexis D. Tarbin	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Family/Community Engagement 2. Parent Involvement 3. Head Start/Family Engagement Framework 4. Parent Engagement/School Readiness 5. Effective Communication/Reflective Supervision 6. Stress Management/Time Management 	601-325-6028 or 601-261-9185
Grace Prowell	Various topics related to early care and education	601-877-3858 or 601-259-2267
Katherine Harrell	"Training Daycare Providers to Work with Special Needs Children"	901-210-0069 or 901-312-6067
Tolernisa Butler	"Building the <u>whole</u> child...where learning begins"	662-398-5372
Melissa Cox	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Redirecting Behavioral Issues in the Classroom 2. Recognizing Possible Delays 	662-963-7522 or 662-256-0350
Carrie A. Kirkland	Various trainings using technology in early childhood	601-624-9335
Sundra Jefferson	Various topics related to early care and education	601-946-8629
Tas'Nata Smith	Effective Communication Between Families and Childcare Professionals	601-983-8023
Kathy Burns	1. Exploring Literature Through the Arts, Part 1	228-209-7846

	2. Exploring Literature Through the Arts: Part 2 3. Developmental Stages of Children Ages Birth-4: Part 1 4. Developmental Stages of Children Ages Birth-4: Part 2 5. FUN-damentals of Science: Part 1 6. FUN-damentals of Science: Part 2 7. I've Got the Music in Me	
Dr. Linda G. Channell	Various topics related to early care and education	601-940-7130
Tanisha S. Womack	1. The Learning of Language 2. Recognizing & Understanding Typical Childhood Development 3. How Early Childhood Development Affects Learning 4. Families and Children with Behavior Issues	601-665-2791
Marilynn Ward	Various online trainings	770-862-4603 or butterflyknowledge.2012@gmail.com
Berta R. Taylor	1. Building Healthier Families by Understanding Behavioral Health Issues 2. Child Neglect 3. What To Do When Your Child Hates Preschool 4. Dealing With Anger 5. Dysfunctional Family	901-550-4424 or bertataylor87@yahoo.com
Dr. Sarai M. Johnson	Various topics related to early care, education & literacy	601-597-9191 or Saraij0713@gmail.com
Machelle Aultman	1. Preschool Speech Therapy 2. Dyslexia Inservice 3. Therapist Perspective	601-270-6968 or aultmanspeech@gmail.com
Betty M. Jones	Anti-Bullying Curriculum for Health Care Providers	601-325-5150 or 601-602-4449 or jeannejones35@icloud.com
Mary Redding	Recognizing & Reporting Child Abuse & Neglect	601-331-3085 or dorseyredding@bellsouth.net
Luezarah Robinson	1. Lead Poisoning Prevention Program 2. SIDS Awareness Prevention Program	662-364-7120 or lue_robinson@bellsouth.net
Theresa Taylor	Language & Literacy Development in Young Children	662-375-4586 or theresataylor2015@gmail.com
Adrienne Williams	Various	601-383-2655 or adriennewilliams2011@hotmail.com
Thomas A. Whitfield	Various	404-429-7869 or whitfield_t1@yahoo.com

The Following Providers Have Standing Approval For Child Care Staff Development

- ▶ Any program related to childcare sponsored by an accredited University, College, Community College, MSU Extension Service, the Mississippi State Department of Education, or Public School District, or The Mississippi Arts Commission (www.mswholeschools.org)
- ▶ Mississippi Department of Human Services-Office for Children and Youth Director's Childcare Credentialing Project and any other training offered by MDHS – Division of Early Childhood Care & Development.
- ▶ Any program related to child care offered by Mississippi Building Blocks.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare sponsored by a state or regional professional childcare organization, etc., including but not limited to Jackson Childhood Association, Mississippi Early Childhood Association, or local affiliate, Rankin Childcare Director's Association, Pine Belt Childcare Directors Network, Gulf Coast Child Care Directors Network, Northeast MS Early Childhood Association-PAC, National Association of Child Care Professionals (NACCP), and East Central Child Care Association.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare sponsored by a national childcare organization, National Association for the Education of Young Children, Child Welfare League of America, or National Child Care Association, Southern Early Childhood, etc., or their affiliates.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare presented by the Appelbaum Training Institute.

- ▶ Any program related to childcare offered by the Mississippi Low Income Child Care Initiative. Contact Carol Burnett at 228-374-2218.
- ▶ CPR and FIRST AID training that is provided by a CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR and results in the certification of the attendee. Caregivers must take adult, infant, and pediatric First Aid and CPR. Online training for these courses will not be accepted – must be face-to-face.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare provided by the Mississippi Forum on Children and Families.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare provided by the Mississippi State University's Partners for Quality Childcare Project or the Early Years Network (1-866-706-8827).
- ▶ Any program related to childcare by Natural Learning, 103 Sycamore St., Leland, MS 38756. Contact Mary Jo Ayres at 662-686-9691.
- ▶ Home-Study courses for child care providers through Care Courses. Contact Care Courses at www.carecourses.com or 1-800-685-7610.
- ▶ Any program related to childcare offered by the Mississippi SIDS Alliance (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome).
- ▶ Any program related to child development or childcare offered by New Dimensions Child Development Training Institute, 1065 Raymond Road, Jackson, MS 39204. Contact Jo Gregory at 601-373-4889
- ▶ (CDA) Credentialing Director Associate Certificate offered by Collate Education For Mississippi, INC. P.O. Box 75664 /Jackson, MS 39282, Contact: Annie Thompson @ 601-953-9917 or 601-397-6264or baptiZm@comcast.net.
- ▶ Any program related to early care and learning offered by Collate Education for Mississippi, Dr. Annie Thompson, P.O. Box 75664, Jackson, MS 39282. 601-953-9917 or 601-397-6264 or baptiZm@comcast.net.
- ▶ Various courses related to Child Care and CPR/First Aid provided by Memphis International Training Institute.
- ▶ Any program related to early care and education provided by Mississippi Center for Education Innovation, 601-354-3356.
- ▶ Any program related to early care and education provided by the Mississippi Grassroots Coalition for Families and Children, Dorothy Lewis, President, 601-736-4915.
- ▶ Any distance learning course for early childhood professionals offered by Training on Demand by MB&A, Alpharetta, Georgia. Contact MB&A at 1-877-655-7139.
- ▶ Any training provided by Mississippi Action for Progress, Inc. Demonstration Training Unit. Contact Annie H. Lewis, 601-923-4100.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by The Public Policy Center of Mississippi.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by Building Foundations for Children, 1735 Main Street, Southaven, MS 38671 Contact Priscilla Harris, 901-356-4676
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education for child care providers offered by Mississippi Museum of Natural Science. Contact Angel Rohnke, (601) 354-7303 or angel.rohnke@mmns.state.ms.us.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by Save the Children. Contact: Gabriel M. Nehrbass, 228-342-5180, or gnehrbass@savechildren.org.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and safety provided by a certified American Red Cross instructor.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and safety provided by the Tishomingo County Families First Resource Center. Contact Janice Cutshall, 662-423-7318.

- ▶ Any training related to early care and education of young children offered by Sampson Educational Resources. Contact Glenda Hill, 800-371-5248, ext. 242.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education of young children offered by Child Care Lounge.
<http://www.childcarelounge.com/child-care-lounge.php>
- ▶ Trainings offered by Desoto Assimilation Center on Spanish language acquisition. Contact Alison Rumler, 662-420-9163.
- ▶ Any training related to child care and early care and education sponsored or provided by the Children's Defense Fund Southern Regional Office SPARK-MS Initiative. Contact Ellen Collins, 601-321-1966.
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education for young children provided by Child Care Education Institute. Contact Donna Holzer, 800-499-9907, ext. 521 or at their website: www.cceionline.edu.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education of young children provided by The Center for Guided Montessori Studies, 1-888-344-7897.
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education of young children provided by ProSolutions Training. For information contact their website at www.prosolutionstraining.com or by phone at 800-227-3410.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by the Gilmore Early Learning Initiative, 203 Gilmore Drive, Amory, MS 38821. 662-257-2395.
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education of young children provided by Quality Assist. For information contact their website at www.qassist.com or contact Barb McWethy at 404-325-2225.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by CompuSystems, Inc., P.O. Box 4135, Greenville, MS 39704. Contact Gene Finley, CEO, 662-335-2060.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by the Mississippi Division of Medicaid.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by the ARC of Mississippi.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by Child Care Exchange, www.childcareexchange.com
- ▶ Darkness to Light's "Stewards of Children" child abuse and neglect training offered by any approved facilitator listed on the website: www.d2l.org.
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- ▶ Any training approved for staff development by another state. Documentation of this approval must be presented to receive credit.
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education, or health and safety for young children, offered by SafeGard Services.
www.safegardservices.com
- ▶ Any training related to early care and education provided by T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood Mississippi, Joyce Greer Program Coordinator, 601-359-4614 or TEACHMississippi@gmail.com.
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education, and after school care, offered by: CypherWorx: Out of School Time Professional Development Center. www.ostpd.com
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education for young children provided by The Early Childhood Academy.
www.theearlychildhoodacademy.com
- ▶ Any online training related to early care and education for young children provided by the CONNECT PROJECT at Frank Porter Graham Child Development Institute, UNC-Chapel Hill, <http://connect.fpg.unc.edu/connect-courses>.

MSDH CHILDCARE LICENSURE REGISTRATION FORM

REPRODUCE AS NEEDED

- 1) All forms must be filled out completely & legibly. Training certificates are issued from this form.
- 2) You will receive an email confirmation (if you do not have an email, one will be mailed to you) which specifies exact location.
- 3) Pre-registration is required on this form and will be accepted via mail, email, or fax. Please refer to the Region listed on the Provider Training Schedule and send your registration form to the following trainers:
 - a. Region 1 (Northern)** – Nancy Nunley, 1742 Cliff Gookin Blvd #5, Tupelo, MS 38801-6497 Fax (662)842-3045
Nancy.Nunley@msdh.ms.gov
 - b. Region 2 (Central)** – Countess Gaitor, MSDH Child Care, PO Box 1700, Jackson, MS 39215-1700 Fax (601) 364-5058 Countess.Gaitor@msdh.ms.gov
 - c. Region 3 (Southern)** – Josie M. Smith, 761 Esters Blvd, Biloxi, MS 39530. Fax (228) 435-4853
Josie.Smith@msdh.ms.gov
- 4) Please bring your Regulation book to the scheduled training sessions.

Sessions Requested

Please check the sessions you wish to attend & write the **location & date** you wish to attend on the blank provided.

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Care Regulations _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Playground Safety _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> After-School Regulations* _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Director's Orientation _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Menu Writing 201 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Color-Me-Healthy _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Promoting Physical Activity* _____ | |

*These classes are by special request only.

Individual(s) Requesting Registration

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Please type or print clearly. Training Certificates will be issued at the end of each session, preprinted for registered participants. Walk-ins will have a certificate mailed to them.

Center Name _____

Mailing Address _____

_____	_____	_____	Director _____
City	State	Zip	

Center Telephone _____ Owner _____

Center Fax _____ Center Email _____

Director Designees _____


Participant's Email _____

THIS FORM IS TO BE USED TO REGISTER FOR SESSIONS PRESENTED BY MSDH/CHILD CARE
LICENSURE



July 2015



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5	6	7 <u>Tupelo: N. Nunley</u> CC Regulations 8:30-3:30	8 <u>Tupelo: N. Nunley</u> Playground Safety 8:30-11:30 Directors Orientation 12:30-3:30	9 <u>Jackson: C. Gaitor</u> CC Regulations 9-4 <u>Laurel: J. Smith</u> CC Regulations 10-5	10 <u>Jackson: C. Gaitor</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Director's Orientation 1-4 <u>Laurel: J. Smith</u> Playground Safety 8:30-11:30 Directors Orientation 12:30-3:30	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 <u>Greenwood: C. Gaitor</u> CC Regulations 9-4	21 <u>Starkville: N. Nunley</u> CC Regulations 9-4 <u>Greenwood: C. Gaitor</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Director's Orientation 1-4	22 <u>Starkville: N. Nunley</u> Playground Safety 8:30-11:30 Directors Orientation 12:30-3:30	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30 <u>Biloxi: J. Smith</u> CC Regulations 9-4	31 <u>Biloxi: J. Smith</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Directors Orientation 1-4	



August 2015




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2	3	4 Grenada: N. Nunley CC Regulations 10-5	5 Grenada: N. Nunley Playground Safety 8:30-11:30 Directors Orientation 12:30-3:30	6 Jackson: C. Gaitor CC Regulations 9-4	7 Jackson: C. Gaitor Playground Safety 9-12 Director's Orientation 1-4	8
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September 2015





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13	14 <u>Jackson: C. Gaitor</u> CC Regulations 9-4	15 <u>Jackson: C. Gaitor</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Director's Orientation 1-4	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 <u>Hernando: N. Nunley</u> CC Regulations 10-5	23 <u>Hernando: N. Nunley</u> Playground Safety 8:30-11:30 Directors Orientation 12:30-3:30	24 <u>Biloxi: J. Smith</u> CC Regulations 9-4	25 <u>Biloxi: J. Smith</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Directors Orientation 1-4	26
27	28 <u>McComb: C. Gaitor</u> CC Regulations 9-4	29 <u>McComb: C. Gaitor</u> Playground Safety 9-12 Director's Orientation 1-4	30			



October 2015

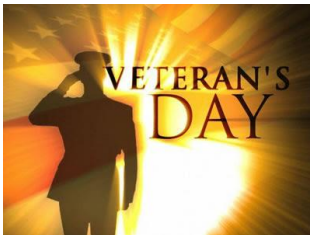



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November 2015




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December 2015



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20	21 Winter Begins!	22	23	24		26

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